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PROVIDING FOR A BARBERING NONCHEMICAL LICENSE; PROVIDING RULEMAKING AUTHORITY TO IMPLEMENT THE SCOPE OF PRACTICE AND REGULATIONS FOR THE BARBERING NONCHEMICAL LICENSE AND SCHOOLS THAT TEACH BARBERING NONCHEMICAL; AND AMENDING SECTIONS TO ADD THE NEW LICENSE TYPE.

BY REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF BARBERS AND COSMETOLOGISTS

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SUMMARY OF CHANGES OR ACTUAL AMENDMENT LANGUAGE

Section 1: This section allows for the addition of “barber nonchemical” as a license type to serve as a possible member of the board.

Section 2: The “barber nonchemical” license type has been added to several areas in the definitions section. Also, the definition of “practice or teaching of barbering nonchemical” has been added as a new subsection.

Section 3: The license type “barber nonchemical” has been added to the “Purpose” section.

Section 4: The license type “barber nonchemical” has been added to the “Rulemaking Powers” section.

Section 5: The license type “barber nonchemical” has been added to the “Prohibited Acts” section.

Section 6: The license type “barber nonchemical” has been added to the scope of license section.

Section 7: The license type “barber nonchemical” has been added to the “Application for license to practice or teach” section.

Section 8: This section describes the qualifications for applicants of barber nonchemical license to practice.

Section 9: This section describes the qualifications for applicants of license to teach barbers nonchemical.

Section 10: The license type “barber nonchemical” has been added to the “Exemptions for persons with disabilities” section.

Section 11: The license type “barber nonchemical” has been added to the section for requirements of school bonding and curriculum.

Section 12: “School of barbering nonchemical” has been added as a type of school that may be inspected by the department.

Section 13: Allows for fees for licenses to be set by the Board by rule. This section also adds “barbering nonchemical” to the list of practices that additional fees may not be imposed upon by a municipal corporation or other political subdivision of this state.

Section 14: The license type “barber nonchemical” has been added to the section that outlines the grounds for refusal, revocation and suspension of licenses.

Section 15: The license type “barber nonchemical” has been added to the list of professional licenses whose scope of practice are not limited by this chapter.

Section 16: The license type “barber nonchemical” has been added to the definition of “Public Accommodation.”

OVERVIEW OF BOARD'S POSITION

This is a bill that creates a new license type for individuals trained as barbers without education/training in the use of chemicals. Frequently, applicants for licensure are coming from jurisdictions that have varying levels of training and licensure classifications. One common type of licensure not currently recognized in Montana is a barber without training in the use of chemicals. This bill will increase the portability of licensure from other jurisdictions, and once the curriculum is established in licensed Montana cosmetology and barbering schools, allow Montana residents a less time consuming and less costly path to practice barbering.

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